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DOUG JENSEN  
UTAH DIVISION OF OIL GAS & MINING  
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Dear Mr. Jensen:

On January 11, 2005 a decision was sent to Kenneth A. Skeem requiring him to submit a Plan of Operations for the activities he has proposed on his claims at the former Jumbo Mine. In the decision letter he was notified that the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, in cooperation with the Bureau of Land Management, intended to proceed with reclamation previously planned at the Jumbo Mine. Mr. Skeem was given 30 days from the date he received the notice, January 13, 2004, to appeal the decision. A timely appeal of the decision requiring a Plan of Operations has not been submitted.

I spoke with Mr. Skeem shortly after he received the decision and explained that in order to defer the planned reclamation any longer he would need to take reclamation responsibility and post a bond. He said he is not willing to take the responsibility at this time.

Please let me know the reclamation schedule. I would like to get out to the site prior to reclamation. I will need to document the location and details of the discovery monument of Mr. Skeem's claim that will be affected by the reclamation operations. Discovery documentation might be important in the remote possibility that a mineral examination is necessary. I will file the documentation and provide Mr. Skeem with a copy.

If you need any further assistance from me with this situation, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Jerry W. Mansfield  
Geologist

cc: Kenneth A. Skeem  
c/o Non-Domestic  
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